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SRI S. RAMALINGAM : சமீபகாலத்தில் நமது ராஜ்யத்தில் கள்ளச் சாராயம் காய்ச்சுவதற்கு குடிசைத் தொழிலாகப் பரவிவருகிறதே, அதை அபிவிருத்தி செய்வதற்கு சர்க்கார் என்ன நடவடிக்கை எடுத்து வருகிறார்கள் ? (சிரிப்பு.)

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : The hon. Member may put that question to the Hon. Minister in charge of Prohibition.

X-ray plants and other radiological goods

* 2920 Q.—SRI M. KALYANASUNDARAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Health be pleased to state—

(*a*) Whether the Government have placed any orders for the supply of X-ray plants and other radiological goods during the years 1954–55 and 1955–56 with a German firm;

(*b*) if so the name of the firm;

(*c*) the value of the purchases that have already been made and the value for which orders are still pending; and

(*d*) whether these materials are required for additional equipment or replacement?

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY : (*a*) No, Sir.

(*b*), (*c*) & (*d*) Does not arise.

Tank encroachment

* 2921 Q.—SRI V. GOPALA GOUNDER (on behalf of Sri P. Rangaswami Reddiar) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the water spread area of the irrigation taluk " Sitheri " in S. No. 318 of 64, Perambalur village, Tiruchirappalli district has been encroached upon to a great extent;

(*b*) whether the Government received a suit notice from the ayacutdars in December 1954, complaining against the said encroachment and requesting the Government to carry out certain repairs to the tank; and

(*c*) the action, if any, taken thereon?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : (*a*) Yes, Sir. An extent of 1·86 acres has been encroached upon by six persons in the tank poramboke.

(*b*) The Collector of Tiruchirappalli received a suit notice on 20th December 1954.

(*c*) Action is being taken by the Collector to evict the encroachments and to repair the tank.